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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Re: Application of Tim VERMEIREN, Tom BOSTOEN,
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ITNERPRETATION SYSTEM FOR INTERPRETING REFLECTOMETRY
INFORMATION
Assignee: ALCATEL
Our Ref. Q76451



Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 20 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 2 sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified), and Preliminary Amendment.

**PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT BEFORE
CALCULATING THE FEE**

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>10</u> - 20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
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Base Fee								\$750.00

TOTAL FILING FEE	\$834.00
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
TOTAL FEE	<u>\$874.00</u>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$834.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Europe	02291902.1	July 26, 2002



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The priority document will be filed at a later date.

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